



PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

## LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS N° 138 of 2026

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### Repair works at Hondoq ir-Rummien (Gozo)

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners and the general public that urgent repair works on the existing water pipeline at Hondoq ir-Rummien Bay, Gozo, will take place.

The works will commence on Monday 27<sup>th</sup> July 2026 and will be carried out at night, from 2000 hours until 0500 hours. Work is expected to be completed by Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2026.

The works will take place within the hatched area marked W, X, Y and Z, as shown on the attached chart.

| Position | LATITUDE (N) | LONGITUDE (E) |
|----------|--------------|---------------|
| W        | 36° 01'.669  | 014° 19'.345  |
| X        | 36° 01'.665  | 014° 19'.355  |
| Y        | 36° 01'.658  | 014° 19'.348  |
| Z        | 36° 01'.665  | 014° 19'.340  |

These works will be carried out by scuba divers displaying the International Code of Signals Flag "A".

For the duration of the works at Hondoq ir-Rummien Bay, the layout of the swimming zone (as shown in LNtM 076 of 2026, Figure 11) will be altered for the above-mentioned period.

| Position | LATITUDE (N) | LONGITUDE (E) |
|----------|--------------|---------------|
| A        | 36° 01'.673  | 014° 19'.367  |
| B        | 36° 01'.658  | 014° 19'.376  |
| C        | 36° 01'.669  | 014° 19'.345  |
| D        | 36° 01'.665  | 014° 19'.340  |
| E        | 36° 01'.627  | 014° 19'.386  |
| F        | 36° 01'.337  | 014° 19'.337  |



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Mariners and vessel owners are advised to navigate at very low speed (no wake) and maintain a minimum distance of 20 metres from the designated swimming area when operating in the vicinity of the area.

All mariners are to comply with any instructions given on VHF Channel 12 and/or 16, by Valletta VTS and by any Enforcement Personnel on site.

Charts Affected: **BA 211**

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